



THE CITY OF  
**CROWN  
POINT**

**Parks &  
Recreation  
2014**





# Crown Point



Dear Residents,

I would like to welcome everyone to the Summer of 2014! Please take a minute to review this brochure. You will discover a variety of programs and activities sure to excite people of all ages and interests. Our Parks Department works hard to provide many programs and opportunities for residents and visitors. We offer family programs, adult fitness programs, sports camps and more. I encourage you to take advantage of all Crown Point has to offer. Phase III of the of the Sportsplex is almost complete. We look forward to to the grand opening as we continue to provide our community the opportunity to play at the best facilities around.

Please join us at one of our many parks, on the fields, at Hub Pool or bike/walking trail.

There are so many opportunities in Crown Point for all of us to enjoy. I hope to see you out and about this summer!

Sincerely,   
David D.F. Uran, Mayor

**Check out the Hub City Monthly  
for all Parks and Recreation  
programs and events!**



## ELECTED OFFICIALS

**Mayor:** David D.F. Uran

**Clerk-Treasurer:** Patti Olson

**1st District:** Chad Jeffries

**2nd District:** Robert Clemons

**3rd District:** Andrew Kyres

**4th District:** Laura Sauerman

**5th District:** Carol Drasga

**Council at Large:**

Mark Schweitzer & Bill Feder

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**Program  
Registration  
Open!!!**

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## City Park Policies

### Crown Point City Resident Policy:

Residents are considered to be those who live within city limits. Please be aware that not all Crown Point addresses will be within the city limits. Individuals living outside city limits can be subject non-resident rates. Should you have any questions regarding residency please contact us.

**Email List:** If you would like to be added to the Crown Point Parks & Recreation e-mail list so you may receive copies of the brochure, Hub City Monthly and other flyers please send your name and e-mail address to [cgrzych@crownpoin.in.gov](mailto:cgrzych@crownpoin.in.gov).

**REFUNDS:** All programs are subject to cancelation and/or rescheduling. Refunds may or may not be given.

**DOGS!:** Dogs are allowed in our parks, but the dog must be on a leash and the owners are responsible for cleaning up after the pet. Dog waste bags are provided in the parks. Please call if more are needed. Thank you!

**Excuse Us!:** Please remember because we are human we here at the Parks Department do from time to time make mistakes. As a result, there are times that some information may be misprinted or changed for various reasons. Please call the Parks Office if there are any questions about dates, times, fees or any other information printed in this brochure.

**Photo Policy:** On occasion, Crown Point Parks & Recreation staff and local media may take photographs and/or videos of programs, participants, and people using the parks. Please be aware that they may be used for future publications or media.

**Walk-in Registration:** Our staff is ready to answer any questions and take registration between the hours of 8:30 am and 4:30 pm, Monday - Friday. @ 11065 Broadway, Suite F Hub Pool Membership cards must be obtained at the Parks Office.

**Mail-in Registration:** Program registrations may be mailed to the Parks Office at 1313 E. North Street or 11065 Broadway, Suite F, Crown Point, IN 46307. Please include the name of the registrant, contact name, address, phone number, birth date, and program name & date. If you mail a registration, please be cautious of the registration deadlines, program fees, and your residency status. You will not receive a confirmation call when your registration is received unless the class is full or cancelled; if that is the case you will be notified as soon as possible. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your registration please feel free to contact the Parks Office at 661-2271.

**Class Cancellations:** Parks & Recreation reserves the right to make revisions that will allow a program to run or cancel programs if necessary. Some programs and events are weather permitting and may be cancelled or rescheduled as necessary.

**Missed Classes/Programs:** If you have registered for a program and do not believe you will make it to the program you should inform the Parks Office at least one week prior to the class. Once a request is made, a refund may be processed. Any refund request submitted after one week before the start of the program will be up to the discretion of the Parks Department. (No refunds will be given for trips).



## FACILITY RENTALS

### Sauerman Woods Park w/ Gazebo

The peaceful park offers a gazebo, walking trail in the woods, a basketball court and four sand volleyball courts.

#### Monday - Thursday

Residents: \$35

Non-residents: \$45

#### Friday - Sunday

Residents: \$70

Non-residents: \$85

#### Shelter w/ Gazebo (2 hours and includes 100 chairs)

Residents: \$214.00

Non-Residents: \$267.50

*50 additional chairs - \$30*



### Collins Park

This park offers a tennis court, playground and softball field.

#### Monday - Thursday

Residents: \$35

Non-residents: \$45

#### Friday - Sunday

Residents: \$70

Non-residents: \$85

### Solon Robinson Park

The park offers a sand volleyball court, two basketball courts and a pavilion.

#### Monday - Thursday

Residents: \$35

Non-residents: \$45

#### Friday - Sunday

Residents: \$70

Non-residents: \$85

### Sportsplex

Two (2) FieldTurf fields available for soccer, football, and lacrosse play were dedicated in 2011. Softball fields are available for rent.

For information about rental opportunities at the sportsplex please call 661-2271!

### Smaller Shelter Rentals

Jerry Ross Park, Kaiser Park, Thomas Street Park

#### Monday - Thursday

Residents: \$16.05

Non-residents: \$26.75

#### Friday - Sunday

Residents: \$21.40

Non-residents: \$32.10



# HUB SWIMMING POOL

1000 E South St.  
Parks Office: 661-2271 Hub Pool: 663-3309

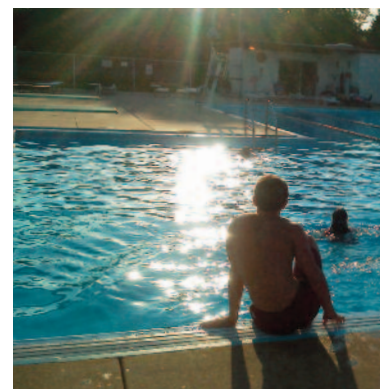
Daily 11:00 am - 6:00 pm

**Pool Opening** May 25th (closed on July 4)

**Pool Memberships** Available Now

## Daily Rates

Age	Residents	Non-Residents
3 & under	\$2	\$5
4-12	\$4	\$8
13-61	\$6	\$10
62 & Up	FREE	FREE



## Pool Passes - Please Contact Parks Office

<i>Individual</i>	Residents: \$85.00	Non-Residents: \$135.00
<i>V.I.P. Membership<sup>1</sup></i>	Residents: \$175.00	Non-Residents: \$250.00
<i>Additional guest</i>	Residents: \$25.00 per guest	Non-Residents: \$35.00 per guest

<sup>1</sup>Includes 5 membership cards

## Adaptive Swim & Lap Swim

Swim time for residents with special needs, their caregivers, and swimming laps Every Day 10 - 10:45 am FREE

**\*\*Adaptive and Lap Swim will be available weather provided\*\***

## Learn to Swim Program

Crown Point Parks Department will be offering swim lessons for beginning swimmers.

Monday-Thursday (Friday rain-day) Min. 5 Max 15  
Residents: \$65/session Non-Residents: \$80/session

**Session 1:** June 16 - June 27

**Session 2:** July 7 - July 18

**Session 3:** July 21 - August 1

**Times:** 9:00 am - 9:45 am **or** 6:15 pm - 7:00 pm

## Pool Rental

Hub Pool can be rented out in the evenings from 7:30 pm until 9:30 pm. All Hub Pool rules apply to private rentals. Rental fee plus Indiana sales tax is due at time of booking.

Parties 1-74 people	\$225 Residents	\$282 Non-Residents
Parties 75-149	\$275 Residents	\$344 Non-Residents
Parties 150+	\$346 Residents	\$433 Non-Residents





# YOUTH ADVENTURE PROGRAMS

## Art in the Park *Ages 6-10*

For young artists and craft enthusiasts. Each week we will be drawing, painting, cutting and/or pasting to develop our own works of art. Min. 8 Max. 15

Tuesdays, 10:00 am - 11:30 am Solon Robinson Park

Session 1: June 17 - July 8

Session 2: July 15 - August 5

Residents: \$35 / session

Non-Residents: \$45 / session

*Registration Deadlines: Fridays prior to session start*



## Born to Build LEGO® Club *Ages 6-12*

Love to build with LEGO blocks? Then join our building club! Min. 6 Max 14

Monday, Civic Center 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

June 16, June 30, July 7, July 21, August 11, August 25

Residents: \$10 / class

Non-Residents: \$15 / class

*Registration Deadline: Fridays prior to class*

## Nature Program *Ages 6-12*

This class combines learning about the environment as well as hands on crafts nature walks, building birdhouses. Min. 6 Max. 20

Tuesdays, June 24 - July 29

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Sauerman Woods

Residents: \$35

Non-Residents: \$45

*Registration Deadline: Friday, June 21*



## Lil' Chefs *Ages 6-12*

Safety, table-setting, etiquette and cooking fun! Each week will have a different menu. You might even learn a tip or two to teach your parents in the kitchen. All supplies will be included. The class will be taught by licensed chef. Min. 5 Max. 12

Thursdays, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm Civic Center

Session 1: June 26 - July 31\*\*\* NoClass 7/3

Residents: \$45/session

Non-Residents: \$60/session

*Registration Deadlines: Mondays prior to session start*



## Kid's Karate *Ages 3-12*

The Crown Point Parks and Recreation Dept. and Homann Karate Do are offering karate classes for children 3-12 years old. Crouching Tigers (3-4) karate uses fun motivational methods for teaching karate. Hidden Dragons (5-12) will learn self-defense skills such as focus, patience, respect, honor, kindness and perseverance, all of which will help them become better individuals. Min. 8 Max. 15

Tuesdays, Civic Center

**Crouching Tigers** (3-4): 5:30 pm - 6:00 pm

**Hidden Dragons** (5-12): 6:10 pm - 7:00 pm

*Session 1:* June 17 – July 8

*Session 2:* July 22 – August 11

*Session 3:* September 9 – September 30

Residents: \$42 / session      Non-Residents: \$55 / session

*Registration Deadlines: Fridays prior to session start*

## Mommy and Me *Ages 1-3*

Children ages 1-3 years are invited to interact with other children and form social bonds while participating in different art projects. Each week will have a fun theme. Snacks will be provided. Parents are asked to bring a drink for their child. Register early as space is limited. Min. 8 Max. 15

Thursdays,

Civic Center      10:00 am -11:00 am *or* 11:30 am -12:30 pm

June 19 - July 31\*\*\* No Class 7/3

Residents: \$35/session      Non-Residents: \$45/session

*Registration Deadlines: Friday, June 13*

## All of the Bunch and Me *Ages 1-5*

This class joins children ages 1-5 years all together. Artistic projects, fun and snack provided. Parents are asked to bring a drink for their child. Register early as space is limited! Min. 8 Max. 15

Mondays, Collins Park      5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

*Session 1:* June 16 - July 7

*Session 2:* July 14 - August 4

Residents: \$35 / session      Non-Residents: \$45 / session

*Registration Deadlines: Fridays, June 13 and July 11*



# YOUTH SPORT CAMPS

## **BASKETBALL** *Ages 4-10*

Children will learn the basics of the game while having *fun!* Min. 8 Max. 20

Monday - Thursday (Friday rain day)  
*Session 1:* June 16 - June 26  
 Sauerman Woods Park

*Session 2:* July 14 - July 24

Solon Robinson Park

*Registration Deadlines:*

*Wednesdays, June 12 and July 10*

**Mini** *Ages: 4-5*

*Session 1:* 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm

*Session 2:* 10:00 am - 10:45 am

Residents: \$35/session

Non-Residents: \$45/session

**Youth** *Ages: 6-10*

*Session 1:* 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

*Session 2:* 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Residents: \$45/session

Non-Residents: \$60/session



## **CHEERLEADING** *Ages 4-8*

Participants will learn the basics of cheerleading and a cheer to perform in front of your family and friends on the final day. Min. 8 Max. 20

Crown Point Sportsplex

Monday - Thursday (Friday rain day)

*Session 1:* June 16 - June 26

*Session 2:* July 14 - July 24

*Registration Deadlines:*

*Wednesday, June 12 and July 10*

**Mini** *Ages: 4-5*

*Session 1:* 10:00 am - 10:45 am

*Session 2:* 5:00 pm - 5:45 pm

Residents: \$35/session

Non-Residents: \$45/session

**Youth** *Ages: 6-8*

*Session 1:* 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

*Session 2:* 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Residents: \$45/session

Non-Residents: \$60/session

## **SOCCER**

*Ages 4-5*

Children will learn skills, rules and important keys to playing soccer.  
 Min. 8 Max. 20

Crown Point Sportsplex - Turf Fields

Monday - Thursday (Friday rain day)

*Session 1:* June 16 - June 26

*Session 2:* July 14 - July 24

**Mini** *Ages: 4-5*

*Session 1:* 10:00 am - 10:45 am

*Session 2:* 5:45 pm - 6:30 pm

Residents: \$35/session

Non-Residents: \$45/session

*Registration Deadlines:*

*Wednesdays, June 12 and July 10*





NEW

# 1<sup>st</sup> Crown Point Classic *Ages 10 & up*

Come join us for the first City of Crown Point USTA Tennis Classic at Crown Point High School. Entry is open to USTA members, expired members or non-members as well. Single elimination tournament for singles and doubles ages 10 and up, played on hard surface courts and a T-shirt is included!

Saturday and Sunday, June 21 - June 22  
CP High School Courts (1500 S Main St.)  
Fee : \$28 / person



Register online @

<http://tennislink.usta.com/tournaments/tournamenthome/tournament.aspx?T=153673>

*Registration Deadline: Wednesday, June 18*



## Tennis Camp *Ages 5-18*

The Crown Point Parks and Tennis Professionals from Match Point Tennis and Fitness Club are offering a weekly summer tennis camp for ages 5 through high school boys and girls. No matter what skill level you have, we will help you get better. Lonnie Wooden has 25 years as a teaching pro/coach working with adults and junior players. Ed Cruzat is a former high school coach, NCAA division 1 player and played as a touring professional. Each camp will offer improvement three times a week for 8 weeks, **running June 17 through August 15!**

<b>Quick Start : Ages 4 - 7</b>	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday (Friday for rain day)	9 - 10 am
Resident : \$240 / person	Non-resident ; \$300 / person	

<b>Jr. Development : Ages : 8 -13</b>	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday (Friday for rain day)	10am - 12pm
Resident : \$576 / person	Non-resident ; \$720 / person	

<b>Super Excellencet : Ages : 13+</b>	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday (Friday for rain day)	3 - 7pm
Resident : \$1152 / person	Non-resident ; \$1440 / person	

*Registration deadline : Thursday, June 12*



## CP Junior Bulldogs Summer Football Camp

Come learn some new skills, work on your basic fundamentals or get in shape before the season. All kids and all positions are welcome!

Every Sunday for 6 weeks starting June 15

4:30 - 6:00 pm

Crown Point Sportsplex

\$40 / player (includes T-shirt)

Make checks payable to:

Crown Point Jr. Bulldogs

PO Box 625 Crown Point, IN 46308

Contact: Mike Pudloe (219)776-9773

## Finn Passing Academy

A non-contact football camp catered to 5th-9th graders who want to develop their passing and receiving skills. Brought to you by Regional Sports Network

Tuesday - Thursday July 15-17, 2014

9:00 am - Noon each day

For: Campers entering 5th through 9th grades in the upcoming school year

Crown Point Jr. Bulldog Football Fields

Cost: \$110 per camper

*Bring cleats, athletic shoes and dress according to weather!*

Wear proper attire:

Shorts/sweats, T-shirt, Football Shoes

(keep in mind camp will be held on turf fields)

For information and registration go to:  
[finnpassingacademy.com](http://finnpassingacademy.com)

## NFL Punt, Pass & Kick *Ages 8-15*

The NFL Punt, Pass & Kick (PPK) program is a national skills competition for boys and girls between the ages of 8 -15 to compete separately against their peers. Girls and boys compete in four separate age divisions (8-9, 10-11, 12-13, and 14-15) compete against each other in punting, passing and place kicking in a fun and engaging forum.

**A copy of participant's birth certificate is required at registration.**

Those who qualify may advance to sectional competition.

Date and Time TBA

*FREE*

Crown Point Sportsplex

Register online @ [www.NFLPPK.com](http://www.NFLPPK.com)



# White Sox Baseball Camp

Ages 5-11



The Chicago White Sox Training Center is offering camps for youth baseball players ages 5–11. In addition to excellent instruction, each camper receives: six ticket vouchers to a White Sox game, an Exclusive U.S. Cellular Field Experience and a T-shirt and hat. Min. 12

Monday – Friday

June 23 – June 27

Crown Point Sportsplex

Little Sluggers Camp (ages 5–6)

1:00 - 3:30 pm \$179

Intermediate Camp (ages 7–8)

1:00 - 3:00 pm \$199

Advanced Camp (ages 9–11)

1:00 - 3:00 pm \$199



Register at **[www.bullssoxacademy.com](http://www.bullssoxacademy.com)** Registration Deadline: Friday, June 14



## CHALLENGER YOUTH SOCCER

Ages 6-16

Crown Point Parks welcomes the Challenger British Soccer Camp to the Sportsplex. Two great weeks of camp to choose from which includes a FREE ball & t shirt.

June 16th to 20th

9 – 12pm Half Day: ages 6-9yrs \$130

9 – 12pm Half Day: ages 10-16yrs \$130

1 - 3pm Golden Goal: ages 6-12 yrs \$50

August 4th to 8th

9 – 12pm Half Day: ages 6-9yrs \$130

9 – 12pm Half Day: ages 10-16yrs \$130

1 - 3pm Golden Goal: ages 6-12 yrs \$50

FREE online jersey offer deadline 5/2/14 and 6/20/14 for respective weeks.

**[www.challengersports.com](http://www.challengersports.com)**

Mail applications & fee to 'Crown Point Parks' at 11065 Broadway, Suite F Crown Point, IN 46307.

## Boys & Girls Youth LaCrosse Camp

Grades 3-8

Crown Point Parks & Crown Point Lacrosse coach Joe Laird are hosting a week long day camp for youth boys & girls. Whether you are a returning player or just picked up a stick, this camp will provide you with individual training and instruction you need to take your game to the next level! Camps are open to kids in grades 3-8.

Monday - Thursday, July 8 - 11 (Friday RAIN day)

Crown Point Sportsplex

Grades: **3 to 4:** 10:00 am – 12:00pm

**5 to 6:** 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

**7 to 8:** 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Residents: \$75/ session

Non-Residents: \$90 / session

Equipment Rental Fee: \$25

Pre-registration Required:

Register online at

**[www.truelacrosse.com](http://www.truelacrosse.com)**

219.661-2271





# ADULT ATHLETICS & FITNESS



## Co-ed Sand Volleyball Ages:

16+

Put together a team of six friends, co-workers or family members to compete in this 6 on 6 league. Fee includes T-shirt. Teams must have an equal amount of both gender on court.

Tuesdays and/or Wednesdays,

Games begin ~ 6:00 pm

June 10 - August 5                      and/or

June 11 - August 6

Hub Pool Sand Courts

Min. 4 teams

Residents: \$30/player

Non-Residents: \$40/player

*Registration Deadline: Friday, May 30*

## TABATA Bootcamp Ages: 16+

Tabata Bootcamp is a high intensity cardio exercise class that will lose weight and build muscle.

*Bring a  
mat or towel!*

Tuesdays, 7:30 pm - 8:25 pm

Civic Center

**Session 1:** June 3 – July 15 \*\*\*No Class Juny 3

**Session 2:** July 22 – August 26

**Session 3:** September 2 – October 7

Residents: \$42 / session

Non-Residents: \$55 / session

*Registration Deadlines: Friday prior to start date*



**Co-ed & Womens**

**Indoor VB sesons run in**

**Fall, Winter, & Spring!**

**Call 661-2271 for**

**more details!!**



## ZUMBA® Ages: 16+

*Just wear  
athletic shoes!*

The Parks Dept. and Pilates Center of NWI are offering Zumba®. This is a dance class that fuses hypnotic latin rhymes and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic fitness program that will blow you away! All exercisers from beginner to advanced will enjoy the benefits of Zumba®. Min. 10 Max. 20

Thursdays, 7:30 pm - 8:25 pm

Civic Center

**Session 1:** June 5 – July 17\*\*\*No Class Juny 3

**Session 2:** July 24 – August 28

**Session 3:** September 4 – October 9

Residents: \$42 / session

Non-Residents: \$55 / session

*Registration Deadlines: Friday prior to start date*



# 55+ ACTIVITIES

## Afternoon Movie

What a great way to enjoy a Thursday afternoon *free* Movie and fresh popcorn. *Call for titles.*

Thursdays, 1:00 pm  
**May 8, June 12, July 10, August 14, September 11**  
 Civic Center FREE

## Senior Art Class

This Prismacolor® art class is perfect for beginning artists. Prismacolor® is a specific type of colored pencils used in many creative ways. There is a curriculum set up for artists of all skill

sets and you can work at your own pace. This 6-week course is on-going so you may begin at your convenience.

Wednesdays (ongoing every Wednesday)  
 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
 First United Methodist Church -352 S Main St.  
 \$42/session (please pay day of class)

## Scrabble

Come on out and spend the afternoon playing with others who share your interest. All game boards are provided by Parks & Recreation.

Wednesdays 1:00 - 3:30 pm  
 Civic Center FREE



## Dinner & Entertainment

Join us for an evening of dinner and live entertainment. Generally entertainers include singers, comedians, musicians and general entertainers. Meals will be catered and the entertainment is "hot to trot" so grab a friend and sign up!

*\*\*\*event dates are subject to change*

\$8/person for each event

**Show #1:** Thursday, July 25 6:00 pm  
 @ Town Center (123 73rd Ave, Merrillville, IN)

**Show #2:** Wednesday, October 8 4:30 pm  
 @ Wittenberg Lutheran Village  
 (123 S Indiana Ave, Crown Point)

*Registration Deadlines: Fridays, July 18 & Oct. 3*

## Civic Center 55+ Activities

101 S. East St.

**Low-Impact Exercise Class:** Every Monday, Wednesday, Friday; 10:00 am - 11:00 am

**Bingo:** Every Tuesday; 10:00 am - 11:00 am

**Pinochle:** Every Tuesday; 11:30 am - 3:30 pm

**Line Dancing:** Every Wednesday and Friday; 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

**Bridge:** Every Wednesday and Friday; 12:30 pm - 4:15 pm

**AARP Chapter 3210:** Monthly Meeting  
 Fourth Monday of each month;  
 12:30 pm - 3:30 pm (Refreshments served)

**Free Blood Pressure Screening:** Every  
 Second Tuesday; 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Senior Meals:** Every Weekday (except holidays); Call Flo – 662-3268

**Senior Council:** Second Tuesday of each Month; 3:30 pm

**Call 661-2271 for more details!!!**



## Short Trips & Rentals

### Four Winds Casino Bus Trip

Come with us as we spend the day at the Four Winds Casino in New Buffalo, MI. Whether it is slots or table games you enjoy, or even just shopping and dining, Four Winds can provide the excitement. The trip includes roundtrip transportation, \$10 Food Credit, four hours of gaming, and a \$15 Instant Slot Credit. Ages 21 & up. *Pre-Registration Required.*

Wednesday, June 4

Fridays, August 22, November 7

Bus departs at 8:30am and returned around 3:00pm

Please meet at Sportsplex Parking Lot (1313 E. North St.)

*Residents: \$35 / trip      Non-Residents: \$45 / trip*

*Registration Deadlines: Friday, May 23, August 8, October 24*



### Molly the Trolley

- Customers are required to rent the Trolley for a minimum of two (2) hours.
- All fees will be rounded to the next closest hour.
- Payment of the driver is included in the rental fee.
- At the time of booking, customers will be required to make a deposit of \$200.00. This deposit will cover the first two hours of service.
- The minimum rate will be \$200.00 for the first two (2) hours, thereafter, \$75 per hour for drive time and \$35 per hour for wait time will be applied to the balance.
- Within (30) days of engagement, a detailed itinerary must be provided to the City of Crown Point. Itinerary must include requested time of use, time of pickup, proposed destination and return location (if applicable).
- Remaining fees and charges will be calculated after the City of Crown Point receives the request.
- The balance, minus the deposit, must be paid in full no later than (10) ten days prior to the engagement.
- Failure to do so may result in loss of reservation and deposit.



Call  
661-2271!





# Youth Activities

## Connecting Kids with Cops **NEW**

Connecting Kids with Cops is a NEW program that will provide children ages 6-10 years the opportunity to meet and spend time with our officers. Crown Point Police officers will be providing hands on opportunity with education lessons and discussions. Topics will include bullying, internet safety, bicycle safety along with a K-9 demonstration and Fingerprinting kits for parents. The 6-hour program will be at the Sportsplex (1313 E North St) by the football pavilion. *Participants must register by Monday July 1.*



Tues July 8, Thurs July 10 and Friday July 11 9:30 am - 11:30 pm.

\$10 / resident \$15 / non-resident

\* Each participant will receive a t-shirt and picnic lunch on Friday July 11th class \*

## HALLOWEEN EGG HUNT

Ghosts, princesses, vampires and everybody else are invited to our Halloween Egg Hunt! There will be plenty of candy and fun at this *FREE* event. *Ages 8 & under.*

**Crown Point RESIDENTS ONLY Please!**

Monday, October 27th (rain or shine)

*Hunt Will Start @ 5:30 pm Sharp!*

Crown Point Sportsplex Legacy Fields

*Participants must call to register by Thursday, October 24*



## Family Activities & Events

### **Bird House Making** *All Ages*

Build and decorate wooden houses for our flying friends. All materials provided. Parents are encouraged to assist children in constructing the houses. Min. 5

Wednesday, June 18 5 - 6 pm

Solon Robinson Park

Residents: \$10

Non-Residents: \$15

*Registration Deadline: Friday, June 21*

### **4th of July T-Shirts** *All Ages*

Show your patriotism by dyeing your own T-Shirt red, white and blue. Children will need to bring a t-shirt to style with all of their imagination. All other supplies provided. Min. 5

Wednesday, July 2

Sauerman Woods Park

5 - 6 pm

Residents: \$6

Non-Residents: \$12

*Registration Deadline: Friday, June 28*

### **Butterfly House Making** *All Ages*

Create and design a wooden house for our beautiful flying friends. All materials provided. Parents are encouraged to assist children in constructing the houses. Min. 5

Wednesday, July 9 5 - 6 pm

Sauerman Woods Park

Residents: \$6

Non-Residents: \$12

*Registration Deadline: Friday, July 26*

### **Tie Dye T-Shirts** *All Ages*

Children (and adults) will need to bring a t-shirt to style with all of their imagination. Min. 10

Wednesday, June 25 *and/or* July 30

Sauerman Woods Park

5 - 6 pm

Residents: \$6 / class

Non-Residents: \$12 / class

*Registration Deadlines: Mondays prior to class*

### **Mad Scientists** *Ages: 6-12*

Young science enthusiasts will learn and explore the amazing world around them in a whole new way. The class will engage in simple and complex experiments sure to "shock and awe". The class will include all supplies. Min. 6 Max. 20

Wednesday, July 16 5 - 6 pm

Sauerman Woods Park

Residents: \$6

Non-Residents: \$12

*Registration Deadline: Friday, July 26*





## Movie in the Park Series

Join Crown Point Parks & Recreation under the stars for a family movie night in the park. Remember to bring a blanket or chairs to make your movie more comfortable. Refreshments will be sold at the event.

**FREE**

**\*\*\* June 13th  
C.S.R.I.  
Movie Night \*\*\***

All movies will begin at Dusk                      Keller Park  
Friday, June 6 - *The Nut Job*  
Friday, July 18 - *Cloudy Chance of Meatballs 2*  
Friday, August 8 - *Despicable Me 2*  
\*All titles are subject to change

## Touch-A-Truck *All Ages*

**FREE**

Dump Trucks, Fire Engines, Ambulances, Police Cars, Tractors and maybe even a visit from a flying vehicle!!! Need we say more? Bring your children to the Hub Pool/Sauerman Woods parking lot to crawl through, pretend to drive and look at all of these vehicles up close.

Saturday, September 13              9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Hub Pool/Sauerman Woods Parking Lot





## VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

If you are in need of community service, desire to help out or just like to support your community; contact the Parks and Recreation or M.O.S.E.

**Parks and Recreation @ 661-2271**  
**Mayors Office of Special Events**  
**(M.O.S.E.) @ 662-3290**



## \*\*\*Recycling\*\*\*

**Remember:** Reducing, Reusing and Recycling is an essential part of us keeping our Earth in its best condition. Please use the garbage and recycling bins at all of our beautiful city's facilities and parks!



## C.S.R.I. - Cooperative Special Recreation Initiative

The Cooperative Special Recreation Initiative (CSRI) is a cooperative venture seeking ways to increase recreational opportunities for individuals of all ages who have special needs and abilities. If you are interested in being placed on the CSRI mailing list please

call one of the below

agencies or e-mail

[CSRI2004@yahoo.com](mailto:CSRI2004@yahoo.com).

The following agencies are proud partners of the CSRI:

**Crown Point Parks & Recreation**  
**Hammond Port Authority**  
**Hammond Parks and Rec.**  
**Lake County Parks**  
**Dyer Parks & Recreation**  
**Highland Parks & Recreation**  
**Merrillville Parks & Recreation**  
**Munster Parks & Recreation**  
**Schererville Parks & Recreation**  
**St. John Parks & Recreation**  
**Whiting Parks & Recreation**

**Call host agency for fees and full details!**

### 2014 CSRI Schedule

#### May

- 1 *Touch a Fire Truck and Firefighting 101*, 6 - 8 pm; A hands-on intro to the fire dept., safety and more equipment! Dyer P&R and Dyer Fire Dept. 865-2505; **FREE** ®

#### June

- 6 *Movie in the Park*, Russ Keller Park at DUSK; Crown Point P&R; 661-2271; **FREE** ; ®
- 16 *Pool Party*, 7-9 pm, Munster P&R; 836-7275 \$

#### July

- 19 *Special Needs Day at Festival of the Lakes* 10am - Noon (Wolf Lake - 2400 Calumet Ave.) Hammond P & R, 853-6378 **FREE**
- 23 *CSRI Day at NWI Oilmen Baseball Game* (1700 119th St in Whiting) 7:10pm Watch for more info! Whiting P&R 659-1000

- 28 *Pool Party*, 7-9 pm, Munster P&R; 836-7275 \$

® = advance registration is requested

#### August

- 29 *So Long Summer Dance* at the PAV, 6 - 9pm (2400 Calumet Ave.) Hammond Port Authority, 937-7942 **FREE**  
 \*Bring Picnic and Chair

#### September

- 28 *Wheelchair Accessible Hayride*, Oak Ridge Prairie in Griffith, Lake County Parks; 769-7275 \$

#### October

- 18 *Halloween Party*, 6 - 8 pm, Schererville Parks and Rec.; 865-5530 \$ ®

#### November

- 19 *Turkey Bowling & Games*, Cedar Lake P&R; 1-3 at Hanover H.S., 374- 4444, **FREE** ®

#### December

- 3 Visit with Santa at the Festival of Lights, 6:30 - 8:00 pm at Prairie West Park, St. John P&R (219)365-6236 **FREE** ®
- 13 *Holiday Festival at the Lake*, 2:00pm at Pruzin Park, Merrillville P&R 980-5911 \$ ®

\$ = program or event has a fee

\*Dates are Tentative



# Special Events (M.O.S.E.)

Mayor's Office of Special Events  
11065 Broadway Ste.F 662-3290



## Car Cruise

Every Thursday (May-Sept.)  
4-8pm \*Please DO NOT arrive any earlier than  
4pm, Historic Downtown (May-July & September)  
Beacon Hill Plaza on Broadway (August)

Cruise into this free event that features all makes of sports cars, classic cars from 1900-1980 and custom built unique vehicles, while Oldies music fills the air.



## Farmer's Market

Saturdays (June-September) 8 am - 1 pm  
South Main Street (in between Hack Court / Walnut)

Over 30 vendors selling fresh produce, unique products, honey, plants, floral, crafts, baked goods and much more.

## City Wide Picnic

Sunday, July 6 2 - 6 pm  
Lake County Fairgrounds

Join Mayor David Uran and the city at the free annual picnic that features all of the summer staples, including a hog roast. Enjoy the day in the park playing Bean Bags, activities for the kids and much more.



## Annual Cal Ripken/Girl's Softball Parade

Saturday, May 3 8:30 am Staging; 9 am Parade  
Location: Historic Downtown;  
Parade Stages at the Crown Theater

Come and join us as we celebrate Opening Day for Softball and Little League, kicking off with a parade that ends at the Little League fields. After the parade, opening ceremonies will commence for both entities at their respective fields.



## Oktoberfest \*THE FALL FESTIVAL\*

Saturday October 4 3 - 11 pm

Join us for the autumn themed festival that takes place on South Maith St. Live Music throughout the day, Hayride, face painting, Chili Cook-Off, Bean Bag Toss Tournament, vendors and much, much more.

Check out [www.crownpoint.in.gov](http://www.crownpoint.in.gov) for further info!



## HALLOWEEN

### Trick or Treat Hours

Saturday, October 31 5 - 7 pm





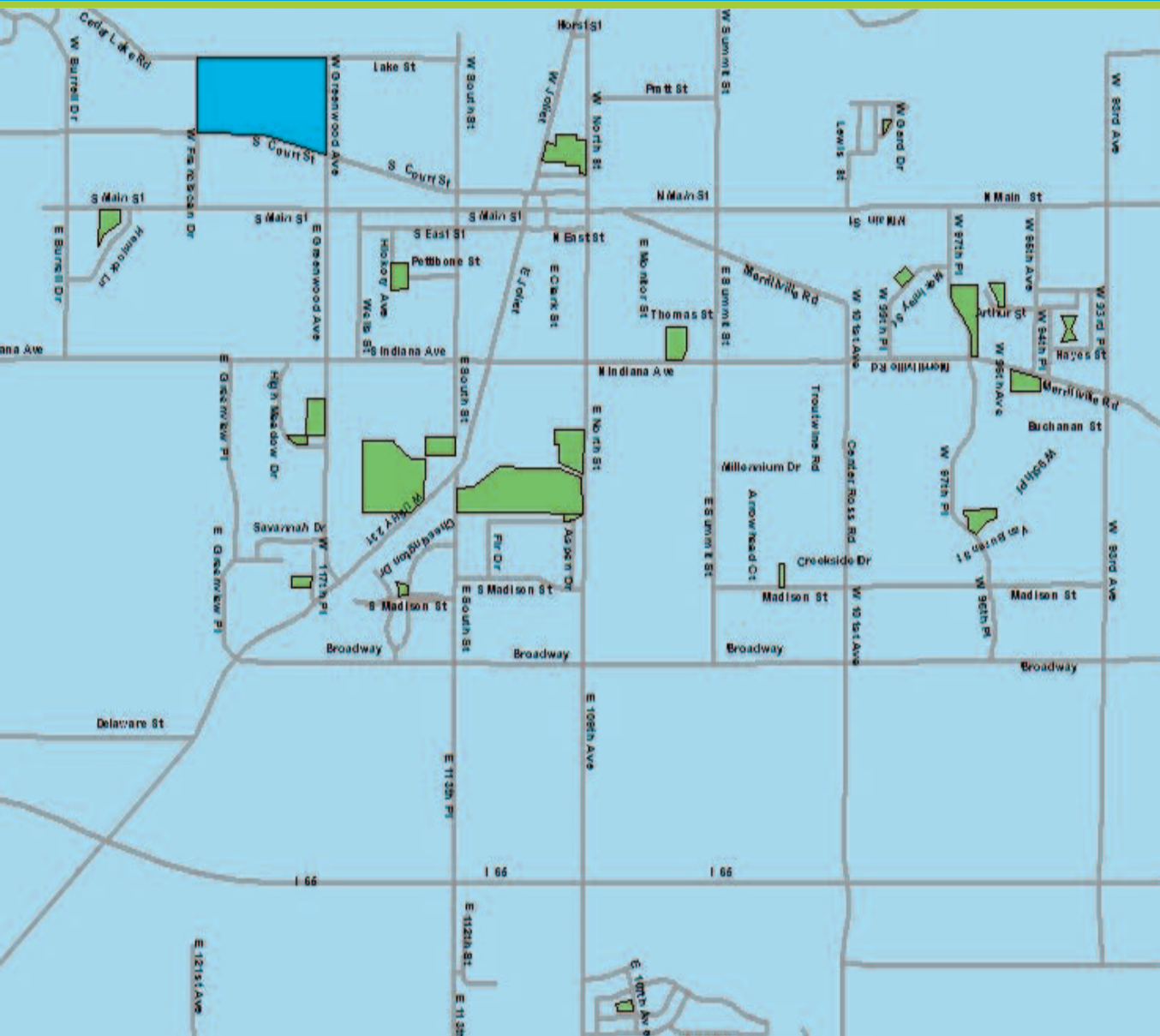


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